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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Attorney Docket No.: NXTGP001X2

First Named Inventor: Purnendu Shekhar Ojha

## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL (37 CFR. § 1.53(b))

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Washington, DC 20231

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Sir: This is a request for filing a patent application under 37 CFR. § 1.53(b) in the name of inventors:  
**Purnendu Shekhar Ojha and Franklin Richard Schmidt**

For: **Methods and Apparatus for Facilitating Transactions**

Application Elements:

- ☒ 55 Pages of Specification, Claims and Abstract  
☒ 45 Sheets of **informal** Drawings  
☒ 02 Pages Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney - executed

Accompanying Application Parts:

- ☒ Assignment and Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet (recording fee of \$40.00 enclosed)  
☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement by Assignee  
☐ Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449  
☐ Copies of IDS Citations  
☐ Preliminary Amendment  
☒ Return Receipt Postcard  
☒ Small Entity Statement(s)  
☐ Other:

Fee Calculation (37 CFR § 1.16)

	(Col. 1) <u>NO. FILED</u>	(Col. 2) <u>NO. EXTRA</u>	<u>SMALL ENTITY</u> <u>RATE</u>	<u>FEE</u>	<b>OR</b>	<u>LARGE ENTITY</u> <u>RATE</u>	<u>FEE</u>
BASIC FEE			\$345	<b>\$345</b>	OR	\$690	\$
TOTAL CLAIMS	26 - 20	= 6	x 9	= <b>\$54</b>	OR	x 18	= \$
INDEP CLAIMS	3 - 03	= 0	x 39	= \$0	OR	x 78	= \$
[ ] Multiple Dependent Claim Presented			\$130	\$		\$260	\$
			Total	<b>\$399</b>	OR	Total	\$

\* If the difference in Col. 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in Col. 2.

- ☒ Our check in the amount of \$29.00 is enclosed for excess claims and filing fees;  
☒ Our check in the amount of \$40.00 is enclosed for assignment recordation fee.

☒ The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees beyond the amount enclosed which may be required, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0388 (Order No NXTGP001X2).

General Authorization for Petition for Extension of Time (37 CFR §1.136)

☒ Applicants hereby make and generally authorize any Petitions for Extensions of Time as may be needed for any subsequent filings. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any extension fees under 37 CFR §1.17 as may be needed to Deposit Account No. 50-0388.

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